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Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

Listing of claims:

1. (original) A modular electrical device for use in an electric circuit, the device comprising:
a housing configured to accommodate a frame member selected from a plurality of frame members, each frame being configured to accommodate at least one wiring assembly;
an electrical wiring assembly chosen from a plurality of electrical wiring assemblies, each of the plurality of electrical wiring assemblies having a different functional configuration, each of the plurality of electrical wiring assemblies being sized to fit in the selected frame member;
a set of terminal contacts selected from a plurality of sets of terminal contacts, each set of terminal contacts being matched to accommodate one of the plurality of electrical wiring assemblies; and
a wall plate defining a first opening, the housing configured to be disposed within the first opening.
2. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 1 wherein said electrical wiring assembly includes a first switch and a second switch.
3. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 2 wherein at least one of said first switch and said second switch is a single pole switch.
4. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 2 wherein at least one of said first switch and said second switch is a three-way switch.
5. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 2 wherein said electrical wiring device further including third switch.

6. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 5 wherein at least one of said first switch, said second switch and said third switch is a single pole switch.
7. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 5 wherein at least one of said first switch said second switch and said third switch is a three-way switch.
8. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 5 wherein said electrical wiring device further includes a fourth switch.
9. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 8 wherein at least one of said first switch, said second switch, said third switch and said fourth switch is a single pole switch.
10. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 8 wherein at least one of said first switch said second switch, said third switch and said fourth switch is a three-way switch.
11. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 2 wherein said electrical wiring assembly further includes a receptacle.
12. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 11 wherein said receptacle includes at least one of ground fault circuit interrupt or arc fault circuit interrupt.
13. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 1 wherein said electrical wiring assembly includes a receptacle.
14. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 13 wherein said electrical wiring assembly further includes a first switch.
15. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 14 wherein said first switch is a single pole switch.
16. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 14 wherein said first switch is a three-way switch.

17. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 13 wherein said electrical wiring device further includes a hallway light.

18. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 1 wherein said electrical wiring device includes a hallway light.

19. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 1 wherein the frame has a second opening, further comprising at least one blank, the blank being configured to be disposed in the second opening.

20. (Amended) The modular electrical device of claim 19 further comprising a lamp assembly, the lamp assembly being configured to be disposed in the second opening.

21. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 20, wherein the lamp assembly includes a remote use indicator.

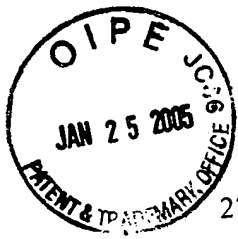
22. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 21, wherein the frame includes a placard holder.

23. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 20, wherein the lamp assembly includes a locator for indicating the location of the modular electrical device.

24. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 20, wherein the lamp assembly indicates the coupling of electrical power to the modular electrical device.

25. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 1 wherein the frame has a second opening, further comprising an interchangeable assembly configured to be disposed in the second opening.

26. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 25 wherein the interchangeable assembly is a blank.



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27. (original) The modular electrical device of claim 25 wherein the interchangeable assembly is a lamp assembly.